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SUBJECT: NATIONAL OBSERVATORY PROJECT

1. GROUP FROM PERKINS-ELMER CORPORATION, SOLE U.S. COMPETITOR FOR 100 MILLION DOLLAR OBSERVATORY PROJECT, WILL BE IN RIYADH OCTOBER 27-NOVEMBER 3 TO PARTICIPATE IN UNIVERSITY OF RIYADH'S "ASTRONOMY WEEK".

2. PROJECT REQUIREMENTS BEING DRAFTED JOINTLY BY UNIVERSITIES OF RIYADH AND ABDUL-AZIZ. FIRM EXPECTS TENDER WITHIN YEAR BUT FEARS THAT RIVALRY BETWEEN TWO UNIVERSITIES MAY CAUSE DELAY. FIRM ALSO CONCERNED THAT PROJECT ASSIGNED LOWER PRIORITY BY REASSESSMENT OF 5 YEAR PLAN.

3. CAGNE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFO POSTS HAVE ON STATUS ON THE NATIONAL OBSERVATORY. VANCE
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